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LOCATION: DURANGO, COLORADO

FORDSTONE, INC. (AL5-7-80, EFF:

x RADIO SAN JUAN, INC. (AL-10-15-64; EFF: 11-1-64)

x KIUP, INC., (AL 7-20-60; EFF: 8-1-60)

x SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 5-4-37)

x C. GUY SHEPARD (Invol. Assignment of C.P. 7-16-35)

Name of

Licensee:

x LEROY HALEY

200' W of U.S.Hwy.550 2.8 mi. S of center of Durango, Colorado (MP 7-21-50)

x On County Rd. 1.9 mi. S of center of Durango, Colorado (CP 5-18-50)

x 2800 Main Avenue, Durango, Colorado (Renewal 6-1-37 - not a change in location)

Transmitter x 2800 North Main Street, Durango, Colorado (MP-B 9-17-35) Lic. 1-10-36

Location: x 140 W. 25th Street, Durango, Colorado (C.P. 5-14-35)

200' W of U.S.Hwy.550 2.8 mi. S of center of Durango, Colorado (MP 12-8-50)

x 2800 Main Avenue, Durango, Colorado (Renewal 6-1-37 - not a change)

Main Studio x 2800 North Main Street, Durango, Colorado (MP-B 9-17-35) Lic. 1-10-36

Location: x 140 W. 25th Street, Durango, Colorado (C.P. 5-14-35)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From To
B5-P-337 C.P.	5-14-35 for new	1370 station,	100w Durango, Colorado	U	7-14 1-14-36
B5-AP-6	7-16-35	Involuntary assignment of C.P. 337			
B5-MP-223	9-17-35	Mod.C.P. as to trans. loc. equip. chges.			7-14 1-14-36
B5-L-260 License to cover C.P. for new station	1-10-36	1370	100w	U	1-10 7-1-36
B5-R-873	6-29-36	1370	100w	U	7-1 1-1-37
B5-R-873	12-15-36	1370	100w	U	1-1 7-1-37
B5-AL-124	5-4-37	Vol. Assignment of License to SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY			
B5-R-873	6-29-37	1370	100w	U	7-1 1-1-38
B5-F-113	11-9-37	Make changes in automatic frequency cont			
B5-S-873	12-30-37	Extension of license			1-1 2-1-38
B5-R-873	1-26-38	1370	100w	U	1-26 7-1-38
B5-R-873	6-9-38	1370	100w	U	7-1 1-1-39
B5-R-873	12-12-38	1370	100w	U	1-1 7-1-39
B5-R-873	6-27-39	1370	100w	U	7-1 1-1-40
B5-R-873	12-18-39	1370	100w	U	1-1 12-1-40
B5-S-873	2/20/40	1370	100w	U	3/1 8/1/40
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1 10/1/40
B5-P-2797 C.P. to install new transmitter and increase power	7-5-40	1370	250w	U	9-5 3-5-41
B5-L-1229 Lic cover C.P. new trans. & incr in power.	9-16-40	1370 kc	250w	U.	9-16 3-29-41
Order	9/10/40	Extension of license			10/1 3/29/41
B5-Z-623 Determine operating power by direct method	1-9-41	1370	250w	U	1-9 3-29-41
NARBA REALLOCATION					
B5-R-873	3-24-41	1400	250w	U	3-29 12-1-41
B5-Z-812 Determine operating power by direct method	5-1-41	1400	250w	U	5-1 12-1-41
B5-R-873	5-31-41	to remain silent from 7 to 10 p.m. MST for 10 days, 6-1-41 to 6-10-41.			

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed

Call letters **K I U P**Name of licensee **SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY**

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD	
					From—	To—
B5-S-873	11-18-41	Extension of license			12-1	1-1-42
B5-S-873	12-16-41	Extension of license			1-1	2-1-42
B5-S-873	1-19-42	To sign off at 7:30 p.m., MST, instead of 10 p.m., MST, from 1-19-42 to 1-24-42, due to shortage of licensed radio operators.				
B5-R-873	1-27-42	1400	250w	U	1-27	8-1-43
B5-S-873	11-6-42	1400	250w	U	12-1	8-1-43
	Mod. license in accordance with Order #107					
B5-R-873	7-13-43	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-45
B5-S-873	7-24-45	Extension of License			8-1	10-1-45
B5-R-873	8-21-45	1400	250w	U	8-21	8-1-47
B5-S-873	8-21-45	1400	250w	U	10-1	8-1-47
	Mod. Lic. Order 107-A					
BR-873	7-24-47	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-50
BP-6709	5-4-48	1400	250w	U	7-4	1-4-49
	CP to install new transmitter.					
BL-3311	10-19-48	1400	250w	U	10-19	8-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (6709) to install a new T.					
BR-873	7-21-50	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-53
BP-7583	5-18-50	930	1kw*	U	By 7-18-50	
			DA-N		1-18-51	
C.P. to chg. freq. increase power, install new T and DA for night use (Cond. Clauses)						
BMP-5178	7-21-50	930	1kw*	U	7-18	1-18-51
			DA-N			
Mod. CP (BP-7583) to chg T site & make slight chg. in DA						
BMP-5178	10-16-50	930	1kw, DA-N	U	7-18	1-18-51
Mod. C.P. correcting DA specifications						
BMP-5414	12-8-50	930	1kw, DA-N	U	7-18	1-18-51
Mod. CP (7583, as mod.) to chg. studio location (waiver 3.20(a))						
BL-4314	1-12-51	930	1kw, DA-N	U	1-12	5-1-53
Lic. cover C.P. (7583, as mod.) which auth. chg. in freq., power, & T site & installation new T & DA-N & studio loc. (Cond)						
BR-873	4-15-53	930	1kw, DA-N	U	5-1	4-1-56
BR-873	4-15-53	930	1kw DA-N	U	5-1	4-1-56
Supersedes above and corrects type transmitter						

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters **KIUP**

Name of licensee **SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY**

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To..
BP-9952	9-28-55	930	1kw#5kw *DA-N	U	11-28-55 5-28-56
CP to increase daytime power and install new trans					
BR-873	3-14-56	Renewal	of License		4-1 4-1-59
BL-6050	7-6-56	930	1kw#5kw-LS U *DA-N		7-6 4-1-59
Lic. to cover CP(BP-9952) to increase daytime power and install new transmitter.					
BR-873	3-25-59	Renewal	of License		4-1 4-1-62
BAL-3921	7-22-60	Voluntary	assignment of license to		
EFF: 8-1-60		K I U P,	INC.		
BTC-3472	7-20-60	Voluntary	transfer of control of license		
EFF: 8-1-60		corporation from Price Wayt, et al (All	Stockholders) to KIUP, Inc.		
BR-873	3-7-62	930kc.	1kw, 5kw-LS U DA-N		4-1 4-1-65
BAL-5214	10-15-64	Voluntary	assignment of license to		
Eff: 11-1-64		RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.			
BR-873	3-19-65	930kc	1kw 5kw/LS Unl. DA-N		4-1 4-1-68
BTC-4850	7-6-65	Voluntary	acquisition of positive control		
EFF: 7-8-65		of lic.corp.by W.Douglas Morrison thru	purchase of stock from Richard B.Wheeler		
TELEGRAM	10-19-67	PSA	500w		
TELEGRAM	1-3-68	PSA (REVISED)	5000w		
BR-873	3-29-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-71
(S)		Renewal of NDEA			
BR-873(S)	3-25-71	Renewal	and NDEA		4-1-74
BR-873	5-25-72	EP	SA		
CONFEL	9-5-72	Marking	Para 1 only.		

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June 1975

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-20,008	9-29-75	CP to	makechg.	s in monitor points	9-29-76
BR-873 BL-14,106(L)	1-25-77	930khz Renewal	1kw, 5kw of License and Modification	LS DA-N U	4-1-77
BR-873(S)	3-22-77	Renewal	of License		4-1-80
Ltr. 5-10-77 Auxiliary Gates	5-10-77	New Main Trans. BC-5E	Harris MW-5	and	
BS-873(L)	7-12-78	ML to add on Section 73.114(A)(8) of Commission's Rules (Main & Aux.)			4-1-80
BAL791022HS	5-7-80	VOL AL.		EFF:	
BR 791130 UL	3-25-80	(L) RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			4-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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XNEWName C. GUY SHEPARD (Invol. Assignment of C.P. 7-16-35)
X LeRoy Haley

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-337	1-11-35	Construction permit for new station requesting Frequency: 1370 kc Power: 100w Hrs. of operation: Unlimited Trans. & studio location : 140 W. 25th Street, Durango, Colorado	Order of Grant	5-14-35
B5-AP-6	6-20-35.	Involuntary assignment of C.P.(B5-P-337) from LeRoy Haley to C. Guy Shepard.	Granted (LeRoy Haley deceased)	7-16-35
B5-MP-223	8-5-35.	Mod. of C.P. for equip changes, antenna and automatic freq. control, move trans. & Studio from 140 W. 25th St. Durango, Colo. to 2800 N. Main St. Durango, Colo.	Granted	9-17-35

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 5-4-37)

Name X C. Guy Shepard

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-L-260	11-29-35	License to cover construction permit (B5-P-337) as modified for a new station.	Granted	1-10-36
B5-R-873 Resubmitted	4-17-36 5-14-36	Renewal of license (For signing by officer) " " "	Returned Granted Minutes	5-9-36 C.A. 6-29-36 7- 2-36
B5-AL-124	8-1-36	Voluntary assignment of license from C. Guy Shepard to San Juan Broadcasting Co.	Granted	5-4-37
B5-R-873	12-1-36	Renewal of license	Granted	12-15-36
B5-R-873	6-1-37	Renewal of license	Granted	6-29-37

APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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Call letters K I U PName SAN, JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B5-F-113	10-6-37	Authority to make changes in automatic frequency control apparatus.	Granted	11-9-37
B5-R-873 Resubmitted	12-1-37 12-31-37	Renewal of license (3b, 7b, 7d, 18c, 20)	Returned Granted	12-10-37 1-26-38
B5-R-873	5-10-38	Renewal of license	Granted	6-9-38
B5-R-873	10-31-38	Renewal of license	Granted	12-12-38
B5-R-873	4-25-39	Renewal of license	Granted	6-27-39
B5-R-873	10-15-39	Renewal of license	Granted	12-18-39
B5-ML-974	3-6-40	Modification of license to increase power from 100w to 250w.	Returned Unnecessary as C. P. application filed	3-12-40

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Call letters K I U PName SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B5-P-2797	3-6-40	Construction permit to install new transmitter (Gates American 250-A) and increase power from 100 watts to 250 watts.	Returned	5-12-40
Resubmitted	3-16-40		Sec. 10(b)(3) Granted	7-5-40
B5-R-873	5/28/40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-24-41
			1400kc, 250w, U	
B5-L-1229	8-29-40	License to cover construction permit (B5-P-2797) for new transmitter and increase in power.	GRANTED	9-16-40
Rec'd.	9-4-40			
B5-Z-623	12-10-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	1-9-41
Rec'd.	12-13-40			

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Letters K I U PName SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for.	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-2-812 Rec'd	3-31-41 4-4-41	Authority to determine operating power by by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	5-1-41
B5-R-873 Resub.	9-18-41 10-7-41	Renewal of license and Form 335.	Ret'd: 9-29-41. Defect. See 17(a); 17(b); 17(c) 17(d); 20(f). GRANTED	1-27-42
B5-R-873	5-18-43	Renewal of license	Granted	7-13-43
B5-R-873 Rec'd	5-18-45 5-23-45	Renewal of license	Granted	8-21-45
BR-873 Rec'd	5-12-47 5-15-47	Renewal of license	Granted	7-24-47

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K I U PName SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6709 Rec'd Filed	4-5-48 4-16-48 4-16-48	6709 Construction Permit to install new transmitter (Gates BC-250-GY).	GRANTED	5-4-48
BL-3311 Rec'd Filed	8-8-48 8-11-48 8-11-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6709) which authorized to install a new transmitter.	GRANTED	10-19-48
BP-7583 Rec'd Filed	3-17-50 3-21-50 3-21-50	Construction permit to change frequency from 1400kc to 930kc, increase power from 250w to 1kw, install new transmitter (Gates BC-1E) and DA for night use and change transmitter location from 2800 Main Avenue, Durango, Colorado to On County Road, 1.9 miles South of Center of Durango, Colorado. Glen A. Wilkinson, Atty. Millard M. Garrison, Engr.	GRANTED Subj. installation phase monitor in T room as means of indicating ampli- tude & phase of currents in several elements of DA & a complete non-dir- ectional proof-of-perfor- mance shall be made in addition to directional proof-of-performance.	5-18-50

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 Rec'd	5-15-50 5-26-50	Renewal of license. (Glen A. Wilkinson, Atty.)	Granted	7-21-50
BMP-5178 Rec'd Filed	5-22-50 5-26-50 5-26-50	Modification of construction permit (BP-7583, which authorized change in frequency, power and transmitter location and installation of a new transmitter and directional antenna for night use) to change the transmitter location from On County Road, 1.9 miles South of Center of Durango, Colorado to 200 Feet West of U.S. Highway 550, 2.8 miles South of Center of Durango, Colorado and to make a slight change in the directional antenna system. Glen A. Wilkinson, Atty. Millard M. Garrison, Engr.	GRANTED Subj. installation phase monitor in T room as means of indicating amplitude & phase of currents in several elements of DA & a complete non-directional proof-of-performance shall be made in addition to directional proof-of-performance.	7-21-50

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K I U PName SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EL-4314	11-7-50	License to cover construction permit (BP-7583, as modified) which authorized change in frequency, power and transmitter location and installation of a new transmitter and directional antenna for night use, and change studio location. Glen A. Wilkinson, Atty. Millard M. Garrison, Engr.	RETURNED	12-4-50
Rec'd.	11-14-50		Request of Attorney	
Resubmitted	12-1-50		GRANTED	1-12-51
Rec'd	12-6-50		Waiver 3.30(a)	
Filed	12-6-50			
BMP-5414	12-1-50	Modification of construction permit (BP-7583, as modified, which authorized change frequency, increase power, installation of a new transmitter and DA for night use and change transmitter location) to change main studio location from 2800 Main Avenue, Durango, Colorado to 200' west of U.S. Hwy. 550, 2.8 miles south of center of Durango, Colorado. Glen A. Wilkinson, Atty. Millard M. Garrison, Engr.	GRANTED	12-8-50
Rec'd	12-6-50		re properly designed phase monitor installed; non-DA proof in addition to DA proof; Waiver 3.30(a).	
Filed	12-6-50			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K I U P

Name SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 Rec'd Filed	1-19-53 1-23-53 1-23-53	Renewal of License	GRANTED	4-15-53
BR-9952 Rec'd Filed	6-20-55 6-22-55 6-22-55	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 1kw to 5kw and install a new transmitter (Gates BC-5E). Wilkinson, Boyden, Cragun & Barker, Attys. Page, Creutz, Garrison & Waldschmitt, Engrs.	GRANTED	9-28-55
BR-873 Rec'd Filed	12-26-55 1-5-56 1-5-56	Renewal of License John M. Murray, Atty.	GRANTED	3-14-56
BL-6050 Rec'd Filed	1-9-56 1-11-56 1-11-56	License to cover construction permit (BP-9952) which authorized an increase in daytime power from 1kw to 5kw and installation of a new transmitter (Gates BC-5E). John M. Murray, Atty.	GRANTED	7-6-56

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.

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Letters K I U PName x SAN JUAN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 Rec'd & Filed	12-16-58 1-2-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	3-25-59
BTC-3472 Rec'd Filed	6-15-60 6-17-60 6-17-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Price Wayt, et al (All Stockholders) to K I U P, Inc. James R. Taylor, Atty. for Transferor Ralph L. Walker, Atty. for Transferee	GRANTED EFF:	7-20-60 8-1-60
BAL-3921 Rec'd Filed	6-11-60 6-17-60 6-17-60	Voluntary assignment of license to K I U P, Inc. (CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BTC-3472) Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	7-22-60 8-1-60
BR-873 Rec'd Filed	12-27-61 1-2-62 1-2-62	Renewal of license Pierson, Ball & Dowd, Attys.	GRANTED	3-7-62
BAL-5214 R & F	8-25-64 8-27-64	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO SAN JUAN, INC. Atty for assignor - Q. Smith Atty for assignee - Robert Seaks	GRANTED Eff:	10-15-64 11-1-64

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K I U PName RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.
DURANGO, COLORADO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 R & F	12/26/64 1/4/65	Renewal of license Atty. Wheeler & Wheeler	GRANTED	3-19-65
ETC-4850 R & F (Form 316)	6-16-65 6-22-65	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corp. by W. Douglas Morrison thru purchase of stock from Richard B. Wheeler Atty. - Wheeler & Wheeler (R. Seaks)	GRANTED EFF:	7-6-65 7-8-65
BR-873 R & F	12-18-67 12-27-67	Renewal of license. Atty: Wheeler & Wheeler	GRANTED	3-29-68
JAN 31 1969				
BR-873 R & F JAN 11 1971 PN	12-16-70 12-23-70 1-13-71	Renewal of License Atty: Robert G. Seaks (Wheeler & Wheeler) AMENDED 2-17-71 re: programming	GRANTED	3-25-71

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K I U PName RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.
DURANGO, COLORADO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	12-13-73 12-B-73 1-11-74 28 DEC 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert G. Seaks, Atty. AMENDED 5-16-74 re: programming; commercial policy; EEO	GRANTED issued with	1-25-77 BL-14,106
BP-20,008 Rec'd Filed \$100-452776 AC-001 AUG 8 1975	7-14-75 7-21-75 7-21-75	Construction permit make changes in monitor points. Atty: Robert G. Seaks	Granted to	9-29-75 9-29-76
BL-14,106 R & F \$100-524219 PTA PRESS AUG 18 1976	1-22-76 1-26-76 1-30-76 8-9-76	Lic. to cover BP-20,008 for changes Atty: Robert G. Seaks (Wheeler & Wheeler)	GRANTED issued with	1-25-77 RENEWAL

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930 khz

Form BC-121

May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K I U P

Name FORDSTONE, INC.
RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.
DURANGO, COLORADO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-873 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-15-76 11-29-76 " FEB 23 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	3-22-77
BRC- R & F RSB.R&F	7-1-77 7-11-77 8-19-77 JUL 28 1977	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by RC from Main studio location, while using DA-N. Atty: James M. Weitzman	RETURNED --Unnecessary-- -Sec: 73.70-of-the- Comm-rules-	-8-11-77-
BAL791022HS FORM 314 (ALSO SEE FM PRESS: NOV 14 1979 PN FILED	12-5-79	Vol AL to FORDSTONE, INC. Atty for assignor - J.M. Weitzman for assignee - Pierson, Ball & Dowd (over)	GRANTED EFF:	5-7-80

BAL791022HS Amended 12-3-79 re: Auth tdb in Colorado

AMENDED 1-15-80 re: Ascertainment data

AMENDED 3-3-80 re: reflect participation of Leonard K. Firestone in man. and oper. of Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

AMENDED 4-28-80 re: reflect withdrawal of Mr. Leonard K. Firestone from participation in the Assignee.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
930KHz.

Call Letters: K I U P

FORDSTONE, INC.
Name: X RADIO SAN JUAN, INC.

Station Location: DURANGO, COLORADO

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR791130UL PRESS JAN 9 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty. James M. Weitzman (Shrinsky & Eisen)	GRANTED 3-25-80
BZ-800714AB R & F PRESS JUL 29 1980	7-14-80	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: Harrison T. Slaughter (Pierson, Ball, etc.) <i>amended 3-4-81</i>	

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

